

MONEY MARTS OF EUROPE

LONDON MAKES A GOOD END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR.

American Securities Quite In Demand and Home Rals Improved. Prospect for Easy Money in January Not Good.

Special attention is given to the fact that the year in good shape. Trading on the Stock Exchange this morning was brisker than had been expected.

London's closing was a point higher and Southern Pacific and other Americans showed fractional gains.

The announcement that the cotton crop had been settled through the intervention of George R. Askwith of the Board of Trade sent the Stocks in home markets to cover.

The shipping group continued active. P. & O. deferred gained 8 points on the probability of a working agreement between that company and the Royal Mail.

The Paris Bourse was quiet today. Bonds were heavy and weakened to 1/2.

MONEY IN NEW YORK.

Bank Statement Better Than Expected Surplus Now \$10,000,000.

Yesterday's bank statement more than fulfilled the sanguine expectations that had been entertained regarding it.

In the course of the week the money market offered the singular spectacle of a declining tendency at a time when the demand is normally upward.

Money on call on the floor of the Stock Exchange during the week ranged between 3 and 4 per cent, and closed at 3 1/2 per cent.

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Five Stock Markets.

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GOSSIP OF WALL STREET.

In England the favorite term is "donkey backing" for "donkey dressing" in the phrase used to describe the manipulation of securities in the closing days of the year.

The open season for statistics commenced last week and will continue into the second week of the year.

Selling of strike news is an operation carefully avoided by the market.

The following notice regarding Allis-Chalmers bonds was posted by the committee on securities of the Stock Exchange.

Two Eastern railroads reporting for November, yesterday showed earnings in striking contrast to the November statements of the Harriman lines and several other Western systems which have reported for the same month.

The substance of the report of the Sherman act, which was noted when a big show combine and a big power combine were formed early in the week, was also reflected in an item in the report of the Sherman act.

The first practical exemplification of the hitherto untried practice of dividing up some of the thirty-four subsidiaries of Standard Oil is supplied by the release of Signal Oil Company.

Trading has begun, although only over the counter, in the stock of the Lackawanna Railroad of New Jersey, which was awarded to stockholders of Delaware, Lackawanna and Western as an extra dividend.

The fortnightly bulletin of the American Railway Association says that the net surplus of idle cars on the railroads in this country and Canada was 40,000 at the fortnight ending December 20.

Kings County Trust Company

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN 342, 344 and 346 FULTON STREET

Capital, - \$500,000 Surplus, - \$1,500,000 Undivided Profits, - \$703,937

JULIAN D. FAIRCHILD, President JULIAN P. FAIRCHILD WILLIAM HARKNESS D. W. McWILLIAMS THOMAS BLAKE, Secretary WILLIAM J. WASON, Jr., Ass't. Secretary J. NORMAN CARPENTER, Trust Officer

STATEMENT At the Close of Business on December 30, 1911.

RESOURCES: Cash on Hand \$1,575,671.58; Cash in Banks 1,644,840.60; New York City and Brooklyn Bonds 581,116.88; Other Stocks and Bonds 1,968,003.16; Bonds and Mortgages 998,110.00; Loans on Collateral, Demand and Time 9,046,932.39; Bills Purchased 3,034,044.57; Office Building 210,000.00; Other Real Estate 19,000.00; Interest and Commissions Accrued 120,410.23; Total \$19,197,229.41

LIABILITIES

Capital 500,000.00; Surplus 1,500,000.00; Undivided Profits (net) 703,937.92; Due Depositors 16,390,154.58; Checks Certified 50,401.95; Rebate on Loans and Bills Purchased 32,621.19; Taxes and Expenses Accrued 17,000.00; Trust Checks Outstanding 3,113.77; Total \$19,197,229.41

The Kings County Trust Company

Transacts a General Trust Business. Receives Deposits Subject to Check at Sight. Allows Interest on Daily Balances. Issues Certificates of Deposit at Special Rates of Interest. Procures Letters of Credit Payable in any Part of the World.

TRUSTEES

- JOHN ARBUCKLE, WALTER E. BEDELL, EDWARD C. BLUM, GEO. V. BROWER, ROBERT A. DRYSDALE, ROSWELL ELDRIDGE, JULIAN D. FAIRCHILD, JULIAN P. FAIRCHILD, JOSEPH P. GRACE, WILLIAM HARKNESS, JOSEPH HUBER, K. H. KNAPP, WHITMAN W. KENYON, JOSEPH LIEBMAN, D. W. McWILLIAMS, JOHN McNAMEE, HENRY A. MEYER, CHARLES A. O'DONOHUE, CHARLES E. PERKINS, DICK S. RAMSAY, H. B. SCHARMANN, JOHN T. UNDERWOOD, W. M. VAN ANDEN, JOHN J. WILLIAMS.

Begin the New Year by Opening an Account With the Kings County Trust Company

FINANCIAL NOTES. SHORT TERM NOTES.

Table with columns for Year, Bid, and Asked prices for various financial instruments like Amalgamated, Amalgamated, etc.

GAS COMPANY STOCKS.

Table with columns for Company Name, Stock, Amt., and Payable for various gas companies.

DIVIDEND DECLARATIONS.

Table with columns for Company Name, Stock, Amt., and Payable for dividend declarations.

United States Mortgage & Trust Company

B'way & 73d St. 55 Cedar St. 8th Ave. & 125th St.

Statement of Condition December 30, 1911

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities, showing various financial items and their values.

OFFICERS

CALVERT BREWER, President; JOHN W. PLATTEN, Vice-President; HENRY L. STEVENS, Secretary; FRANK J. PARSONS, Vice-President; T. W. MIDDLETON, Ass't. Secretary; JOSEPH ADAMS, Treasurer; CHARLES E. PERKINS, Ass't. Secretary.

DIRECTORS

CHARLES S. BROWN, JOHN W. PLATTEN, JOHN W. PLATTEN.

Windsor Trust Company

STATEMENT - DECEMBER 30TH, 1911.

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities, showing financial details for Windsor Trust Company.

DIRECTORS

ALBERT H. KASCHER, JOHN MARKLE, JOHN MARKLE.

THE CORN EXCHANGE BANK

Organized 1853. Inaugured Branch Banking 1899.

The Branch Banking system pledges our Capital and surplus of \$8,258,000 and other Resources of \$7,624,000 to the protection and assistance of every depositor in every branch.

DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST.

BANKING INTEREST. Allowed on accounts from \$10 to \$5,000. Deposits made on or before Jan. 15, draw interest from Jan. 15.

The Bowery Savings Bank

125 AND 130 BOWERY. NEW YORK, DEC. 15, 1911.

THE FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK

Corner 8th Avenue & 42d St. 102nd semi-annual dividend has been declared at the rate of Three and One-Half per cent.

CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK

16 AND 56 BOWERY, COR. CANAL ST. 10th semi-annual dividend.

GREENWICH SAVINGS BANK

100 AND 102 GREENWICH ST. 10th semi-annual dividend.

THE MONROE NATIONAL BANK

100 AND 102 GREENWICH ST. 10th semi-annual dividend.

ELECTIONS AND MEETINGS.

COMPANIA DE LOS FERROS DE CUBA. Pursuant to the By-Laws of this company, a meeting of the Board of Directors will be held at the office of the company.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

The Monroe National Bank of Chicago, located at the Chicago, in the State of Illinois, is closing its doors.

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THE WEATHER FORECAST

WASHINGTON PREDICTIONS FOR TODAY AND TO-MORROW.

For eastern New York, snow in northern and rain or snow in southern portion today and to-morrow; slightly warmer tomorrow; colder to-morrow or to-morrow night; increasing east to south winds; becoming northwesterly to-morrow.

For northern New England, increasing cloudiness and slightly warmer to-day, followed by snow in New Hampshire and Vermont; snow to-morrow; moderate northeast to southeast winds; for southern New England, snow or rain to-day and to-morrow; colder to-morrow night; increasing east to south winds; rain or snow and colder to-morrow; moderate to brisk east to south winds, becoming northwesterly to-morrow.

New York, Dec. 31. - There was a storm center yesterday morning in an oblong trough extending from the Gulf coast northeastward to Lake Michigan, attended by increasing winds in the lake regions and central States and a rain area covering all the Southern States and the Mississippi, Tennessee and Ohio valleys, turning into snow in the Lake region and in the States bordering the west of the Mississippi, from Kansas northward to Montana and the Dakotas.

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Local snows were reported in the central Rocky Mountain district, slight snows prevailed in northern New England and in the extreme Southwest and southern Florida only. This storm area was being followed by a fresh cold weather over the States bordering and shooting directly southward over the States west of the Mississippi into northern Texas, where it was below the freezing point, while in North and South Dakota it was from 10 to 20 degrees below zero.

East of the Mississippi there was but slight change of temperature, except in the south Atlantic States, where it was somewhat warmer. In this city the day was cloudy and threatening winds, mostly fresh to brisk, northeast; average humidity, 75 per cent; barometer, corrected to sea level at 4 A. M., 30.4, 30.4, 30.4.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC THIS DAY. Sun rises 7:20 Sun sets 4:37 Moon sets 2:11

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